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Re: Applicant: Ian M. Wright  
Assignee: Cisco Technology, Inc.  
Title: Ingress Discard In Output Buffered Switching Devices  
Serial No.: 09/468,246  
Examiner: Phuc H. Tran  
Docket No.: CIS0036US

Filed: December 20, 1999  
Group Art Unit: 2666

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page) (in duplicate); and
- (3) Response To Non-Final Office Action (11 pages).



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	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	38	Minus	23	=	15	x \$ 18.00	\$ 270.00
Independent Claims	4	Minus	3	=	1	x \$ 86.00	\$ 86.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee for Request for Extension of Time							\$ 0.00
<b>Total additional fee for this Amendment:</b>							\$ 356.00
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please charge our Deposit Account No. 502306 in the amount of							\$ 356.00
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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated January 9, 2004, having a shortened statutory period expiring on April 9, 2004. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the remarks set forth below.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

No amendments to the specification or the drawings are presented in this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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